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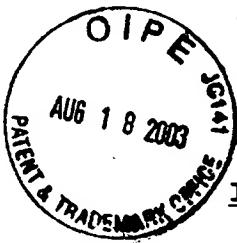
In re the Application of

Inventors: Masanori MINAMIO, et al. Art Unit: 2811

Application No.: 09/380,312

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For: RESIN MOLDED TYPE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND A METHOD  
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME



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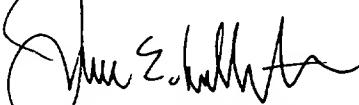
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Pursuant to Rules 56 and 99, Applicants hereby call the attention of the Patent Office to the art listed on the attached Form PTO 1449.

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**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

International Search Report dated March 19, 1999.

International Preliminary Examination Report dated October 19, 1999.

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